IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): A system for transacting business between a customer and a business, the system comprising:

a server used by the business and being accessible by the customer, wherein the business is a reinsurer and the customer is an insurer; and

a customer account housed on the server, the customer account having access to internal records of the reinsurer associated with the customer account on the server, wherein the server includes automated instructions that, when executed by the server, allow the customer to advise the business of an upcoming payment for an upcoming event, to request a payment from the business for a previous event, or to use a computer graphical user interface to pair a payment with one or more previous events,

wherein the automated instructions are adapted to present, on [[a]] the computer graphical user interface for view and use by the customer, a list of open current account bookings of the customer,

wherein the open current account bookings are associated with more than one insurance policy, and

wherein, using a processor at the server uses the list, the customer is able to pair to pair a payment associated with due from the insurer to the reinsurer for a certain insurance policy with a previous event associated with payment due from the reinsurer to the insurer for the certain insurance policy.

Claim 2 (Canceled).

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The system of claim [[2]] 1, wherein the claim relates to payment due from the reinsurer to the insurer is for an insurance claim.

Claim 4 (Canceled).

Claim 5 (Original): The system of claim 1, further comprising: a computer in communication with the server, wherein the customer accesses the server through the computer.

Claim 6 (Original): The system of claim 5, wherein the access to the server from the computer includes use of the Internet.

Claim 7 (Original): The system of claim 5, wherein the access to the server from the computer is remote.

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): A system for transacting business between a customer and a business, the system comprising:

a server used by the business and being accessible by the customer, wherein the business is a reinsurer and the customer is an insurer; and

a customer account <u>housed stored</u> on the server, the customer account being configured to permit access to individual records associated with the customer account, the customer account having at least one associated process to be executed executable by the server,

wherein the server includes automated instructions that are adapted to present, on a computer graphical user interface for view and use by the customer, a list of open current account bookings of the customer,

wherein the open current account bookings are associated with more than one insurance policy, and

wherein, using a processor at the server uses the list, the customer is able to pair a payment associated with due from the insurer to the reinsurer for a certain insurance policy with a previous event associated with the certain insurance policy payment due from the reinsurer to the insurer for the certain insurance policy.

Claim 9 (Canceled).

Claim 10 (Currently Amended): The system of claim [[9]] 8, wherein the claim relates to an payment due from the reinsurer to the insurer is for an insurance claim.

Claim 11 (Canceled).

Claim 12 (Original): The system of claim 8, further comprising: a computer in communication with the server, wherein the customer accesses the server through the computer.

Claim 13 (Original): The system of claim 12, wherein the access to the server from the computer includes use of the Internet.

Claim 14 (Original): The system of claim 12, wherein the access to the server from the computer is remote.

Claim 15 (Currently Amended): A method of transacting business between a customer and a business, the method comprising:

accessing, through a server used by the business, an existing customer account, including internal records of the business, on a server used by the business, wherein the business is a reinsurer and the customer is an insurer;

accessing, through the server, a computer graphical user interface that displays a list of open current account bookings of the customer, wherein the open current account bookings are associated with more than one insurance policy, and

instructing, through the server, the business to make an upcoming payment for an upcoming event, to request a payment from the business from a previous event, or to pair a payment with one or more upcoming events,

wherein instructing the business to pair a payment with one or more upcoming events comprises using a processor and the list on the graphical user interface to pair a payment associated with due from the insurer to the reinsurer for a certain insurance policy with an upcoming event associated with a payment due from the reinsurer to the insurer for the certain insurance policy.

Claim 16 (Canceled).

Claim 17 (Currently Amended): The method of claim 16, wherein the claim relates to an payment due from the reinsurer to the insurer is for an insurance claim.

Claim 18 (Canceled).

Claim 19 (Original): The method of claim 15, wherein accessing the customer account involves use of the Internet.

Claim 20 (Original): The method of claim 15, wherein the customer account is accessed remotely.

Claim 21 (Currently Amended): The system of claim 1, wherein the customer advises of an upcoming payment by selecting postings on the list, and wherein the automated instructions are adapted to verify that [[the]] a sum of all selected postings is a credit in the business's favor.

Claim 22 (Currently Amended): The system of claim 1, wherein the customer requests a payment by selecting postings on the list, and wherein the automated instructions are adapted to verify that [[the]] a sum of all selected postings is <u>a debit</u> in the customer's favor.

Claim 23 (Canceled).

Claim 24 (Currently Amended): A method comprising:

remotely accessing an insurer account by an insurer, including internal records of a reinsurer providing coverage to the insurer for clients of the insurer, the account being stored on a server associated with the reinsurer;

accessing a computer graphical user interface that displays a list of open current account bookings associated with the insurer, wherein the open current account bookings are associated with an insurance policy in which the reinsurer provides reinsurance coverage to the insurer, and

instructing the reinsurer to pair a payment with one or more upcoming events, the instructing performed by the insurer using the server associated with the reinsurer,

wherein instructing the reinsurer to pair a payment with one or more upcoming events comprises using a processor at the server and the list to pair a payment associated with due from the insurer to the reinsurer for a certain insurance policy of the insurer with an upcoming event associated with a payment due from the reinsurer to the insurer from the certain insurance policy in accordance with an existing reinsurance policy between the insurer and the reinsurer.

Claim 25 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 24, wherein the insurer account includes a bordereaux.

Claim 26 (Canceled).

Claim 27 (Previously Presented): The method of claim 24, further comprising generating a record of the payment made with the certain insurance policy.